

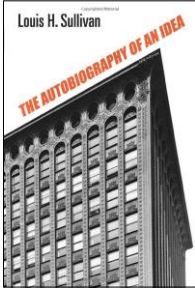


## Edgewater Historical Society & Museum

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### Chicago History Book Discussion Group – Louis Sullivan

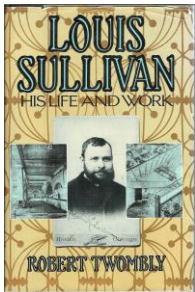


#### *The Autobiography of An Idea*

By Louis H. Sullivan

#### *Louis Sullivan: His Life and Work*

By Robert Twombly



**Saturday, October 9, 10 a.m.**

**Via Zoom**

Edgewater Branch hours:

Mon & Wed 10-5; Tues & Thurs 12-7

Fri & Sat 9-4; Sun 1-5

After the catastrophic fire that destroyed the city, Louis Sullivan was considered a guiding light of Chicago's rebirth, helping to design several notable buildings. He sought to create new architectural concepts that would set the United States apart from its European past. He was hailed as a master craftsman for his Transportation Building during the 1893 Colombian Exposition; yet his uncompromising ideals estranged him from both friends and clients. Sullivan wound up dying alone and forgotten in the 1920s, but his artistic legacy influenced dozens of architects, including Frank Lloyd Wright.

Join us for a Zoom discussion of Louis Sullivan's life by reading either book. Titles will be available at the Edgewater Branch Circulation Desk or can be sent to other branches for pick-up. This program is a partnership with the Chicago Public Library.

How to attend:

Please register at [bit.ly/ehszoom10](https://bit.ly/ehszoom10). By registering for this event, you agree to abide by the Library Use Guidelines.

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